

REMARKS

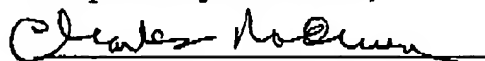
Reconsideration of this application and entry of this Amendment is respectfully requested.

Claim 1 has been amended to incorporate the limitations of claim 2, and should now be allowable in accordance with the Examiner's statement on page 10, section 12 of the previous Office Action.

All remaining pending claims are also ultimately dependent on claim 1, and should also now be in condition for allowance.

Reconsideration of the restriction requirement is respectfully requested. Applicants' October 12, 2005 Amendment traversed the restriction requirement on page 13. Therein it was noted that the prior art search conducted by the Examiner appeared to cover the search classification for the nonelected claims. Thus, since the Examiner appears to have searched the classes and subclasses for all claims without serious burden, all claims should now be allowable. Thus, the withdrawn claims 16-25 and 27 are ultimately dependent on claim 1. Therefore, reconsideration and withdrawal of the restriction requirement and the allowance of all pending claims is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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